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- 2. All items are guaranteed genuine, unless otherwise marked.
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- 4. Phone bids will be accepted up until midnight EST on 1-25-2001.
- 5. High bids will be revealed, but require at least a 10% advance.
- 6. Bids above \$20 will be reduced when possible, but no more than 25%.
- 7. Returns are accepted within 7 days of receipt of your items, and must be in our original holders.
- 8. Personal checks must clear before shipment if you are not known to us. In the case of bank checks and money orders, items are shipped within 48 hours.

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- 9. High bidders must pay postage and insurance costs which will be added to the invoice. AND: A MINIMUM OF \$1 WILL BE ADDED TO THE INVOICE FOR ALL MAILINGS.
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- 12. Placing a bid in this sale constitutes acceptance of the above terms.
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- 1. Struck-over Civil War token. Oliver Boutwell, Troy NY, Miller. Obv die #4, rev die #6. The obverse is struck-over the rev reverse. Fuld #890B-bo. Listed as R9, but should be down-graded. Still, a very interesting strike-over. Cent-size, brass, AU with luster.
- 2. **William McKinley memorial medal, Canton Ohio**. Obv McKinley facing left, rev shows Memorial, "Dedicated September 30, 1907". Silvered-bronze by W&H, 2", AU.
- 3. Automotive Watch-Fob, Stanley Motor Carriage Co., Newton Mass. Old Stanley Steamer, circa 1905, shown. Nickel, scalloped border, 1¾", XF, old strap.
- 4. Brooklyn Beach gold 1894 lady's award medal, all hand-engraved. Top bar "Ladies 100 Yards 1894". Cut-out shield link drop reads "Brooklyn Beach". 3.66 dwt, marked 10K. By Stork, NY. 2" overall. XF.
- 5. **1948** Otego New Zealand centennial token. Obv landing scene at Port Chalmers 1848. Rev shows city seal and map. Brass, 1½", Choice-uncirculated. *4 available*.
- 6. **1838** Loco Foco Hard Times token. Obv grotesque Libertyhead. Rev "Benton Experiment Mint Drop". Low#55, R1. VF+, cleaned & retoned long ago. A good strike for this notoriously weak issue. Est \$35+.
- 7. Scarce rectangular hard rubber lumber token. Southern States Lumber Co., Muscogee Florida, 25¢/"Good for merchandise when presented nmutilated" 2-3/8"×1-3/8". VF, red, unmutilated Est\$75+. Sch#565-S8-25
- 8. Deco-style cast figural Johnson(Outboard Motor) paperweight.

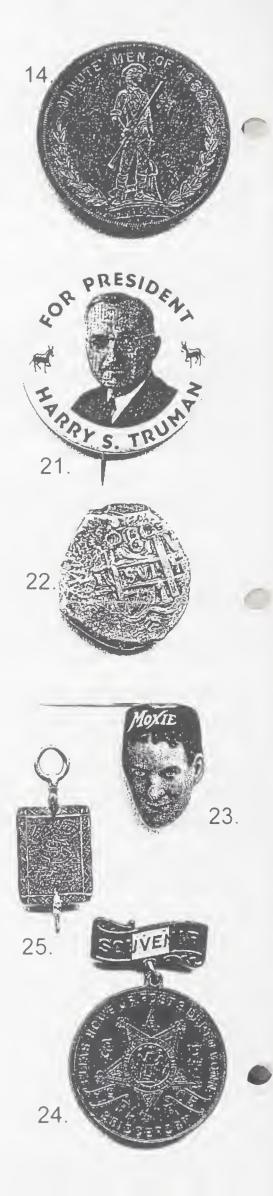
 Johnson Sea Horse. Deco sea horse shown. Silvertone, 3¾", XF. Neat!
- 9. Colorful enameled Knights Templar triennial Boston 1895 badge. Black enamel top bar, multi-colored drop for St. Paul's Commandery, Dover NH. Overall 3". By Logee, Providence. Like new. A handsome badge.
- 10. Silvered 1867 dollar shell card. Hartford Live Stock Insurance Co., Hartford Conn. Obv shell is copy of 1867 Seated Dollar, 40% of silvering intact. Rev black on green, shows man leading draft horse. 1½", AU, ex-Wall Street Rarities. Rare, especially in this condition. Min\$295.
- 11. **Figural silver place card holder**. Base is 1915-1916 Peru silver sol. Silver llama holds card. XF, quality workmanship. *5 available*.
- 12. St. Croix Virgin Island GOOD FOR TOKEN. Farchette's Cold Spot, St. Croix V.I. Rev Good for 25¢ in trade. Aluminum, 26mm, XF. Est\$30+.
- 13. Bronze 1907 GAR National Encampment fob ribbon-badge. Top bar "Souvenir GAR Encampment 1907 Saratoga Springs NY" with pin and iinked fob attachment. R,w&b ribbon. Shield-shaped eagle drop shows Gen. Grant, Mt McGregor(Grant's cottage), and High Rock Spring. By W&H, 5½", XF.







- 14. Large size swastika good-luck token. Obv Concord Minuteman statue, "Minutemen of 1932". Rev swastika, and "Awarded by Masonite Corporation for Meritorious Service". Brass, AU, 1¾".
- 15. UNLISTED MERCHANT COUNTERSTAMP ON 1876CC SEATED HALF. Hunt & Russell in 3 lines from prepared punch on obv & rev. Coin G, c/s's G & VF
- 16. Unlisted Hard Times token, Hallock & Bates, New York NY. HT#275A which is a brass piece. This example is silvered brass (probably R8). F+, scattered old scratch obv & rev blend in. 40% silvering remains.
- 17. **Middlebury VT Sofspra Car Wash token**. Obv logo, rev Good only at Sofspra Car Wash, Route 7, 1 mile south of Middlebury Vermont. Nickel, 27mm, VF.
- 18. **Early American mule**, Talbot, Allum & Lee. Muled with Earl Howe Conder token. 1794, copper, 29mm. Rulau NY887. Obv as NY877. VF for this issue. Marks on rev. Cat\$80.
- 19. Nevada Saloon token, Joe Vietti Pioneer Saloon, Delamar Nevada. Rev Good for 1 drink or cigar. Brass, 25mm, dug piece, porous w/spots, but all readable.
- 20. **Nice old Connecticut Special Police badge**, Stratford, shield-shaped, #95, white metal, nickel numbers. 2½". Circa 1910.
- 21. SCARCE HARRY S. TRUMAN PRESIDENTIAL PIN. Black on cream. Bust 3/4 right, For President Harry S. Truman, 2 donkeys. 13/4, celluloid. Original. Iron back with some rust. XF. There is a copy of this pin, but the back is brushed aluminum.
- 22. 1771 Potosi silver 8 real cob. V-Y(Jose deVargas and Flor & Raimundo de Yturriaga) Assayer. Non sea salvage, VF. 26.8 grams. Min\$200
- 23. **MOXIE DIE-CUT CELLULOID STICK-PIN.** Figural 1½" face of soda jerk wearing Moxie cap. Multi-colored, 2 pin points of color loss on chin(mentioned for accuracy) Otherwise XF.
- 24. **GAR Dep't of Connecticut 1905 souvenir bronze badge**. R,W&B top bar "Souvenir". Bronze drop shows GAR logo, "Elias Howe Jr Post 3 Bridgeport Fair." Rev bust of Howe(Sewing Machine inventor). 2" AU
- 25. Gold engraved Phi Beta Kappa key. Greek letters. Pointing hand in lower right. 9 stars upper left(indicating chapter)/ S.P. December 5, 1776 (founded). Engr J.P.Berkley, Marietta '05. 2.8 gr 14K. 1¾", F+. Min\$100
- 26. Bronze Judaic medal American-Jewish Tercentenary 1654-1954. Obv Jewish family, U.S. map in background, "Man's opportunities and responsibilities under Freedom", Hebrew legend above. Edge engraved "Dr. Abraham J. Feldman tercentenary lecture, Washington Hebrew Congregation April 3, 1955. 3", by Medallic Art, AU, one edge ding.
- 27. 1884 Cuban trade check. Rafael Sanchez, Oriente Province. Monogram & palm tree. Copper nickel, 20mm, VF. Rulau#ORI.27. Est\$30+.



- 28. Unlisted Grant ferrotype 1868 presidential pin. Eagle hanger. Oval ferrotype military portrait of Grant set in brass frame. Loop ribbon-style top dated 1868, wreath below. Portrait clear, very fine. 1-1/4". Similar to Sullivan#USG1872-30a. This 1868 piece unlisted. Min\$200.
- 29. **1939** New York World's Fair Trylon-Perisphere puzzle. Blue & orange hard plastic multi-piece logo figural puzzle, 2-1/8". Original torn box, with instructions. Otherwise like new. Neat! Rare in box.
- 30. 1935 **Byrd Antarctic Expedition II** cachet cover with note from expedition member postally sent. Postmarked "Little America" from George Pease Jr. Humorous note and old childhood photo of Pease.
- 31. 14K tricolor gold and enameled Masonic badge. Sunburst top bar shows seal, "Grand Lodge State of New York". Linked to drop "Grand Representative of Nebraska" with central state seal. 30.2 grams. Engr "R.W.Knoke by Pyramid Lodge #490 1927". Neck ribbon & orig'l case. 3"
- 32. GOLF FOB STYLE CELLULOID GOLF BAG TAG, 2½". Red Run Golf Club, Frank Walsh Pro. White on red, shows runner. Leather strap. Excellent.
- 33. Early Mass. silver style countermarks on copper blank. 1 side VI in rectangular depression. Other side IIII. Irregular 21mm copper blank, 1.9 grams. Countermarks VF. Interesting study piece.
- 34. Bronze Pontiac Buggy Co. watch fob with Indian. The Pontiac Buggy Co., Pontiac Mich. Bust of Chief Pontiac "Western Amesbury Vehicles". 1/2", VF. By Childs & Co., Chicago. Est.\$125+.
- 35. **Old high-quality racketeer nickel,** uncirculated 1883 no-cents Liberty nickel heavily gold-plated, edge has been reeded. Historical, excellent.
- 36. Oval U.S. Mint 1977 Annual Assay Commission medal in pewter. Obv shows Martha Washington, by Fowler and Grove; rev shows First U.S. Mint Philadelphia by Gasparro. 3"x25/16". Unc. J.K#AC-121.
- 37. 1813JJ Mexico 8 real counterstamped for British Honduras, crowned script GR. Ray Byrnes states that this c/s did not have official status, but was contemporary 1810-1820. Auction records to \$175. Min\$100.
- 38. **Hard Times token**, R1, Low #33, HT#48. 1837 Libertyhead left. Rev "Millions for Defense...". Brown AU with luster, a couple light marks and spots(mfa). Ex D.M. Miller. Cat XF60 Unc \$400.
- 39. **Hawaiian magnifier**. Round, brass, holed as made. Hula dancer and airplane, "Aloha"/ human eye with magnifier as pupil, "Hawaiian Eye Fogal", by Dr. St. Barth. 1½", XF. Cat M&R#2M-129 \$50. Small hoard. **4 available**
- 40. Brass high-grade R7 Civil War store card. John P. Gruber. Fuld#NY 630AG-3b. Indianhead, rev scales. Bright AU-Unc, streaky toning, small edge clip as made. Est\$75+.
- 1. Abe Lincoln cell'd adv'g pinback button. Lincoln ¾ right, multi-colored, "Ward's Tip Top Bread" back paper. 1¼", excellent.



- 42. **3 counterstamped half-cents**: •1808 draped bust 3 5-pt star obv c/s. •1828 13 star obv & rev c/s 16 within shield. •1854 rev c/s 60. C/S's F+.
- 43. The Victoria Bridge medal, Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, Montreal. Obv shows Bridge, "The Greatest Work of Engineering Skill in the World, Inaugurated and opened 1860". Rev stats, & portrait of Victoria, Albert, and Prince of Wales. White metal, 2", Unc. By Hoffnung, Montreal. Est\$100+
- 44. **1894 GAR ribbon badge**, The 28th Nat'l Encampment Sept 1894. Brass top bar shows GAR logo and encampment scene. Small keystone drop shows old Block House. Red ribbon, large bottom shield-shaped drop has seal of Pittsburgh/rev War stats. 4¾", excellent. By Heeren & Copgh.
- 45. **Porno cent**, a flying eagle cent has obv eagle re-engraved into flying phallus. Quality workmanship. In the tradition of the potty dollar. Est\$35+.
- 46. Gold electrocopy of Elizabeth I(1558-1603) cut gold coin. Original cut piece is in National Collection. This is most probably a British Museum product. Irregular shape, obv Elizabeth I, rev portion of arms and legend. 1"x5/8". XF-AU. A great study piece. Min\$75.
- 47. **Thomas Dewey presidential pinback** cell'd photo button with ribbon. Black on cream, 1944. 1¼", with r,w&b attached frayed ribbon. Some minor foxing, similar to Hake 2009. *5 available*.
- 48. **Daguerrian photography token**, M.A. Roots Daguerrian Gallery, Philadelphia. Rev copy of award they received. Miller#PA433(1850s). Brass, 29mm, F.
- 49. Bronze Society of Medalists Dionysus god of Wine medal, by Manship. #2 of the series, one of the most popular. Obv head of Dionysus, rev satyrs on wine press. 1950 struck, by Medallic Art. 2-7/8", Chocolatebrown Unc, in damaged box.
- 50. Civil War scrip note, Talcott & Post, Hartford Conn. 10¢. Secured by deposit in Charter Oak Bank. #240, dated 1862. Black on green, avg circ. Upper left corner missing. 3½"x2".
- 51. **1795 High grade Conder token**, Spittle's half penny London and Brighton. Obv shows building, rev Brighton arms. Plain edge, D&H#Middlesex 902. Ex-Noble, by Spink. 1-1/8", Glossy-brown AU-Unc.
- 52. **Brunk plate coin counterstamp**. J.N.Newton c/s on rev of 1780FF Mexico 2 real silver coin. Brunk#29580, 1 of 3 known. C/S VF, coin G. With envelope.

MASSACHUSETTS TOWN MEDALS, EARLY, SCARCE, SILVERED, BY W&H:

- 53. Ware 1911, 150^{th} anniversary. Obv shows indian spearfishing. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", looped with ring. XF.
- 54. Athol 1912, 150th anniversary. Obv shows Col. John Murray. Fob top, 1½", XF.











- 55. Prosperity change purse souvenir of 1907 Jamestown Expo. Made to simulate a tri-folded Civil War 1862 Virginia \$100 Treasury note. Center all says "Souvenir of Exposition". Snaps shut. Multi-colored, 3-3/8"x23/4". By J.K. Gill Co., Portland Oregon. Worn, but intact.
- 56. **1928 Railway token**, A.Guthrie & Co. St. Paul, "Contractors America's Longest Railroad Tunnel"/ "Great Northern Railway New Cascade Tunnel, 7.78 miles completed in 3 years 1925-1928". Brass, 1-3/8", AU, spots.
- 57. **Coin button copy**, large size brass button copy of 1805JP Lima 8 real. Quality workmanship. Shank removed(many times this was done deliberately to pass as coinage), 1½", F+, historical. Est.\$35+.
- 58. Early Nevada mining town trade token, W.J.Drysdale(Tonopah Nevada)/Good for 61/4¢ in trade. Brass, 21mm, dug, porous G.
- 59. Willkie presidential cell'd mechanical flipper pin. Blue on white. "I believe it"; pull string flips up "We will win with Willkie". Excellent 1-3/4".
- 60. **Worn Massachusetts 1788 cent 8C variety** set up as watch fob. Attached to coin is are 9 silver large stamped design links. Neat!
- 61. Unique 1964 Mardi Gras silver medallion "Golden Anniversary Ridin' Hi Mardi Gras Day in Old New Orleans 1964". Rex with feathered crown. Hallmarked, says "Fine Silver Unique" Uniface, 1-7/8", AU
- out fob with Statue of Liberty on butterfly wings with allies shields on her pedestal. 13/4", AU. Great look.
- 63. Worn shield nickel with pictorial adv'g counterstamps. Bell-shaped obv & rev c/s's "O.B.Co(Bell Co.?). Unlisted, c/s's F & VF, coin AG
- 64. Unlisted blue hard rubber adv'g token with 1893 calendar. Obv blue on cream printed insert "Saturday is Bargain Day at Garrison's Clothier". Rev 1893 calendar. By Dessau's. 1¼", XF, a couple of bubbles and old scratch visible at angle(MFA). Est.\$100+.
- 65. Choice uncirculated 1940 round off-center Stork Club encased cent. Obv 2 storks, "Heads to Earn, Hearts to Spend". Rev "Good Cheer and Food in the Stork Club NY".
- 66. Sterling silver copy of the unique 1776 Massachusetts Pine Tree copper, issued by Copley Coin Co., Boston. Obv pine tree, rev Seated Liberty. Available in copper, the silver examples are scarce. 1¼", Unc. Ex-Gould sale II 2/77, ticket enclosed.
- 67. Harvard silver delta kappa epsilon medal. Obv fraternity seal, rev engraved "John F. Moors, class of '(18)83". 1-5/8", gun-metal toned unc, loop removed, Storer#868. Min\$100.
- 68 Texas good-for token, Mewes & Wendtland Cash Store, Shiner as. Rev Good for 50¢ in merchandise. Brass, 1¼", XF. Small 3 merchant token town.



- 69. **1809 half cent, rev counterstamped F.Cloy**, from prepared punch. Brunk #9860, listed on large cent. This second listing will make this a purposeful countermark. Obv engr TCB. Coin & engraving VG, c/s VF.
- 70. Spanish American War Veteran's medal, Colonel Post level. Bronze eagle shield & wreath top bar, flag ribbon with blue borders and colonel's bar. Drop is Span-Am War cross within wreath. 4" overall, XF.
- 71. VERMONT METAL AND CELL'D ADV'G COINSTACK PAPERWEIGHT, made to simulate 4 stacked silver dollars. The Montpelier National Bank, Montpelier, VT. Dark blue & cream cell'd inset top and bottom shows bank logo. 1-11/16"x1/2", VF.
- 72. **French bronze plaquette**, Chamber of Commerce of Tourcoing. Obv Lady Liberty seated and pointing to pastoral scene, with city seal. Rev tournament contestant paying tribute to ladies of the court. By Lefebvre. 1-7/8"x13/4", clipped edges as made, AU. Paris Mint mark on edge. Nice!
- 73. Wisconsin Civil War storecard, Mossin & Marr Engravers, Milwaukee. Rev 1863 female Amazon warrior design one of the most sought-after pictorials. Fuld#Wisc510-AD-1a, R4, red & brown AU Unc, cent-size, copper. Min\$100.
- 74. **1876 Continental Dollar restrike, by Dickeson**. White metal, 3mm thick, **so-called dollar, HK#854**, AU with luster. A scarce original restrike.
- 75. **1788-IJ Peru Carlos III 8-real silver coin**. Obv & rev heavily chopmarked. Interesting study piece. Coin f, chops VF.
- 76. Enameled Dutch Cleanser watch fob with strap. Dutch woman logo, blue, red & white on yellow background. Rev "Old Dutch Cleanser chases dirt. Distributed by Mariette Wholesale Grocery..., Marietta Ohio". Made by George. 1-1/2", XF.
- 77. **Masonic Past President Sojourner's ribbon badge**. Blue & yellow striped ribbon, Past President bar, enameled drop with stars & logo. Rev engr "George Jung 1956". By Dieges & Clust, in box, like new. 3½".
- 78. **Dental Pig flipping coin**. Crescent Dental Mfg Co. Obv pigs head. Rev pig's rear, "65th Anniversary, Good Luck". Brass, 1", XF.
- 79. Silver 1883 International Fisheries Exhibition, held in Great Britain. Obv shows Queen Victoria. Rev fishnet with flounder, cod, shellfish, lobster, eel, etc. By Pinches, London. 13/4", loop added, XF.
- 80. **1779 Continental Currency \$65 note**. Red and black Justice vignette, XF, but upper border close cut on right hand side, and lower right-hand corner missing. Newman give cat.value of \$65 for VF and \$100 for Unc.
- 81. BRONZE SO-CALLED DOLLAR, BY FRENCH(COIN DESIGNER). Catskill Aqueduct Completion 1917 NY, NY. This is 1½" replica of the 3" official medal. Obv female head facing right. Rev nude male with water vessel. Classic design, by Medallic Art the female head is their logo. XF, HK# 667. Est\$50. A beautiful medal.



- 82. Set of 6 official gold medals issued for 17th Olympic Games, Rome 1960. 7.88 oz .900 fine gold. Obv Olympic figure with torch; Roman bldgs. ev Romulus and Remus feeding on mother wolf, and Olympic rings. Range of sizes from 2-3/8" to 7/8". All unc., approx \$1930 in gold, most of these sets were melted in the 1980s, Scarce today. Min\$2500.
- 83. **Interesting Texas good-for token**, Rainbow Marketing Association, Inc. Cristenstad Texas, good for 5 in merchandise. This town was a Utopian communal experiment and existed only from 1930 to 1935. Brass, 21mm, edge cut canceled. VF.
- 84. **Crude bronze copy of Spanish Colonial 2 real coin**. Reportedly made as movie money. Obv head with cap and braid facing right. Rev Spanish arms. 1¼", AU, but little detail as made. *5 available*.
- 85. Abe Lincoln 1863 Emancipation medal, struck by U.S. Mint. Lincoln facing right/ "March 4, 1861-April 15, 1865" Emancipation Proclaimed January 1, 1863. Medals series of the U.S. Mint, J. Pollock 1871, Director". Designed by Barber. 13/4", 19th Century striking with glossy milk chocolate brown surfaces, bronze, XF, Obv rim ding. Julian CM16. Min\$100.
- 86. **1787 Connecticut copper**, M33.38-Z.23. R6. Draped bust left. Dies severely clashed resulting in an obv incusation beneath chin and rev incusations, legible as AUCTOR around left rim. VF. Nearly as strong as Taylor lot 2600, but rev hit in center, a couple of old obv hits and rim dings.
- 87. Gold scale, circa 1800 with weights, in wooden box with label.

 ypical iron gold scale with brass pans. 8 brass apothecary weights. Label says "Morgan Brothers, Bow Lane, London", cigar bundle logo. VF.
- 88. Gold-gilt 1893 Puerto Rican 400th Anniv of Discovery medal. Obv Columbus, ship, globe & anchor in background. Rev "Exposicion de Puerto Rico". Struck by B. Castells, Barcelona. 2", AU, in fitted case. Ray Byrne 1975 Sale lot 974, a copper nickel example, realized \$160. Min\$175
- 89. **Magician's token**, (U.S. circa 1875). "Professor King, the Best Ventriloquist living"/King, the Great Prestidigitateur and Modern Sampson". Copper, 3/4", XF. K#MT196. R6.
- 90. **2 WWII wooden** *Japanese* I.D. tags? Obv stamped *Chinese* characters, probably soldier's name. Revs, in pen: "September 8, Guam "44". "Leyte, January 29, '45". 2"x1-1/8", holed as made. F.
- 91. Bronze 1856 engraved Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Assn medal. Obv seated Liberty. Rev engr "Haselton Livermore & Woodward for paper hangings". 2", chocolate-brown AU. By Mitchell. Julian AM34
- 92. **Unlisted variety Gordon W.V. Coal Scrip**. Detroit Mining Co., 50¢. Orco rev. Bow-tie cut-out. Similar to Edkin #1153B25. 50¢ not listed. Nickel, 27mm, XF.
- 93. Old copy charm-style California fractional gold, \$1 round satirical idianhead. Rev "1849", wreath and "California Gold". Plated, ½", XF.



- 94. 1881 Leadville Colorado, Burton Placer Gold Mine U.S. mining grant. 4 pages with James Garfield secretarial signature. Seal of General Land Office. Bound with blue silk ribbon. Folded 16"x10". F. Min\$100.
- 95. 1943 Polish ghetto token. Lodz Poland, 10 mark. Obv Star of David. "Ghetto 1943". Rev translates "The oldest of the Jews in Litzmannstadt". Magnesium-aluminum, 1-1/8", F with oxidation. Scarce, as many were burnt as fuel. In old envelope.
- 96. 1904 St. Louis Expo MILITARY BADGE. Bronze chocolate brown top bad says "St. Louis 1904". Linked to chocolate brown drop for 2nd Co. Gov. Foot Guard, New Haven, Conn". 1776 Guard shown. No ribbon. 2",

